# General Environmental Incident Summary

Incident: 5431 Date/Time Notice: 6/15/2017 1500 DEM Incident No:

Responsible Party: Cass County Electric Cooperative

Date Incident: 6/15/2017 Time Incident: 1400 Duration: 1 minutes

County: Cass Twp: 139 Rng: 49 Sec: 27 Qtr: NE

Lat: 46.83247 Long: -96.84561 Method: Interpolation from map

Location Description: Corner of 32nd Ave South and 39th Street South, Fargo ND

Submitted By: Jodi Bullinger Affiliation:

Address: 4100 32nd Ave S

City: Fargo State: ND Zip: 58104

Received By:

Contact Person: Jodi Bullinger

4100 32nd Ave S Fargo, ND 58104

Distance Nearest Occupied Building: 200 Feet Release Contained: Yes

Type of Incident: Damaged Transformer

Description of Released Contaminant: Mineral Oil

Volume Spilled: 5.00 gallons Ag Related: No

EPA Extremely Hazardous Substance: Unknown Reported to NRC: Unknown

Cause of Incident:

The transformer bushing was broken during removal causing oil to spill.

Risk Evaluation:

None

# of Fatalities: 0 # of Injuries: 0 Affected Medium: 03 - soil

Potential Environmental Impacts:

None

#### Action Taken or Planned:

Transformer was tipped to contain oil and a backhoe was used to take about 18 inches of soil to fill a 50 gallon barrel.

The transformer is identified as Non-PCB by nameplate. Per CCEC's spill policy the electrical equipment will be tested to confirm the PCB status.

Wastes Disposal Location: Upon receipt of the transformer oil testing, any Non-PCB dirt and spill

clean-up material will be disposed of at the Fargo land fill. If testing identifies the presents of PCBs, measures will be taken to ensure disposal of all product is done through Clean Harbors Environmental,

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## Inc., Coffeyville, KS.

## Agencies Involved:

## **Updates**

Date: 6/16/2017 Status: Reviewed - Follow-up Required Author: O'Gorman, Brian

## **Updated Volume:**

#### Notes:

According to the report, 5 gallons of non-PCB containing mineral oil was released onto soils of the area. Further follow-up needed.